

## ALLIED PREMIERS ASK WILSON TO JOIN WITH THEM

Invitation Extended to  
Help Solve Adriatic  
Dispute

## NOTE RECEIVED YESTERDAY

(By The Associated Press)  
WASHINGTON, Feb. 27.—The invitation of the British and French premiers to President Wilson to join them in a formal proposal to the Italian and Jugoslav governments to negotiate a new Adriatic settlement on the basis of the various agreements caused no surprise.

state department, is now before the president and his reply is expected within a few days. It was pointed out, however, that while adhering to the agreement of December 9, the president in his last reply to the premiers had said that he would, of course, make no objection to a settlement mutually agreeable to "Italy and Jugoslavia." \* \* \* provided such an agreement is not made at the expense of the nationals of a third power.

If the premiers' proposal is accepted by the president, Italy and Jugoslavia will have the first opportunity to undertake a settlement between themselves. There is such a wide divergence between the territorial aspirations of the two countries, however, that it was regarded as almost certain that any negotiation must be successful would consume many months.

In the view of some officials here the time required to reach agreement would be immaterial as compared with the lasting benefits to be derived from a satisfactory settlement. In fact, it is known that some high officials are of the opinion that the official text had reached the state department and before it had been laid before the president.

The state department already had taken up with London the question of making the note public here and it was assumed that it would be given out after the president had studied it. The other exchanges were made public yesterday.

It was noted from the summary of the premiers' note that Great Britain and France had not agreed to the withdrawal of the treaty of London, holding to its terms as a last resort should all efforts at voluntary agreement fail.

President Wilson has made it clear that he cannot accept the treaty of London as a basis for settlement. Under the present proposal, no effort would be made to carry out the terms of this treaty until another attempt has been made by the United States, Great Britain and France to arrive at a settlement. Should the proposed negotiations between Italy and Jugoslavia come to naught.

London Papers Comment.  
London, Feb. 27.—The Westminster Gazette is discussing the Adriatic situation saying: "There is little reason why the note should not have been published as written and received. A delicate situation between the allies and the United States has arisen but it cannot be made worse by open discussion."

The newspaper declares President Wilson is right in the way he looks at the Adriatic question. It asserts the difficulty between the allies and the United States is that Mr. Wilson accepts no responsibility for the treaty of London which was rendered out of date owing to the break up of Austro-Hungary and to which he was not a party.

RELEASE BOSTON  
MERCHANTS TODAY  
WASHINGTON, Feb. 27.—William A. English and John H. O'Brien, Boston merchants, sentenced to 18 months imprisonment for failure to make proper income tax returns, will be released from the Greenfield, Mass., house of correction tomorrow on parole.

English and O'Brien jointly were alleged to have defrauded the government out of \$1,200,000 in income taxes. This they have paid in addition to the penalty of \$600,000.

WILL ABIDE BY  
ACTION OF CHIEFS  
St. Louis, Mo., Feb. 27.—The executive council of the International Brotherhood of Firemen and Oilers, representing approximately 50,000 railroad employees today voted to abide by whatever action the other railroad brotherhoods take in the wage controversy. A message was sent to President Wilson asking him to veto the compromise railroad bill.

## GOOD TIME MADE BY PROSECUTION IN NEWBERRY TRIAL

Government Expects to Rest  
Case Early Next  
Week

(By The Associated Press)  
GRAND RAPIDS, Mich., Feb. 27.—In an effort to hurry the ending of its case the prosecution in the Newberry election conspiracy trial devoted today to bringing into the colloquy conspiracy the names of defendants who played relatively minor roles in the political activity of 1918. Reading of notes on the grand jury testimony of defendants was relied on chiefly for this object and whereas the defense records this morning had eighteen blank pages under had many names tonight the list had been practically eliminated. While much progress was made in picking up loose threads in the government case, it was practically certain that the prosecution will extend into next week.

There were forty grand jury statements in prospect when court opened and only fourteen remained when adjournment time came. The testimony rehearsed incidents already touched upon in testimony or made public at the time the indictments were returned at the last Saturday in November. Two defendants were quoted as having admitted they paid their own campaign expenses with Newberry money. The tone of print paper which Ed Nowack, Kankakee, editor, received from the Newberry organization, was described in that defendant's grand jury story and it also developed that once when his press broke down he asked Charles Floyd, western Michigan manager for Newberry to meet the repair bill. Nowack, according to notes made by H. Dales Souter, special assistant attorney general, said he was promised his items but never received it. Nowack was quoted as telling the grand jury that "their system was not to let the right know what the left was doing."

With the last statement of the day, that of Henry R. Dotsch, city attorney of Escanaba, came a story that Judd Yeland, probate judge there, and a defendant, asked Dotsch to attend a meeting of Delta county residents who had been subpoenaed as grand jury witnesses. Dotsch said he refused to do so.

The defense having said in its opening statement by James O. Murfin that about \$2,100 in newspaper advertising was not billed for until after the committee's \$176,000 expenditure report had been filed at Lansing. The government today produced a Detroit advertising man who testified that his concern alone received a payment of \$2,200.91 on November 12. He checked his books with the report.

grand jury statements pushed back continuation of evidence on the line introduced yesterday when the government, by a handwriting expert started testimony that Richard H. Fletcher, state labor commissioner, wrote more than 100 names on the nominating petitions of James W. Helme, the Democratic candidate for governor, into the race of the Newberry organization. The expert worked all day over his photographs and charts and may take the stand tomorrow.

## ELECTION FRAUDS IN NEW YORK EXPOSED

ALBANY, N. Y., Feb. 27.—An "expose" of election frauds in New York city last fall, when "gunmen" hired by Republicans and Democrats were pictured as touring the polling places cheating the closing tonight of the defense in the trial before the assembly judiciary committee of the alleged election frauds, a defendant charged with disloyalty. The testimony was given by assemblyman August Chasens, the third defendant to take the stand, in a speech which the prosecution sought to show breathed sedition.

## OKLAHOMA SENATE RATIFIES SUFFRAGE

OKLAHOMA CITY, Okla., Feb. 27.—The Oklahoma senate today passed the house resolution ratifying the federal woman suffrage amendment 25 to 13 but eliminated the emergency clause. The amended resolution was then sent back to the house, where a motion was made to concur in the senate action. A motion to adjourn however prevented further discussion and consideration of the resolution will be continued tomorrow.

## BAR ROOMS CHANGED NEW YORK CITY

New York, Feb. 27.—The public game room has replaced the bar room in some New York hotels. Guest may now spend their spare time playing dominoes, checkers and the various card games. Managers said today the idea had met with great favor among their patrons.

## CUT PRICE OF MILK IN CHICAGO

Chicago, Feb. 27.—Milk will be sold at four stores in Chicago next week at 11 cents a quart, the Anti-Profit League announced today. The selling price of milk now is 15 cents a quart. Sales will be under direction of the board of education.

## SENATE SPENDS DAY DEBATING PEACE TREATY

Session Taken up  
With Talk Without  
Action

(By The Associated Press)  
WASHINGTON, Feb. 27.—The senate talked without acting today in its consideration of the peace treaty.

Most of the time went to the irreconcilable opponents of ratification, Senator Norris, Republican, Nebraska, one of the irreconcilable group, making a four hour speech in denunciation of the treaty provisions affecting Egypt and the treatment accorded the Egyptian delegates to Versailles.

Only for a brief period just before adjournment was there any discussion of the present reservation which deals with decision of domestic questions under the league. Adoption of the reservation in its original form was advocated by Senator Smith, Democrat, Georgia, who argued that the substitute presented yesterday by Senator Hitchcock of Nebraska the administration leader would amount to amendment of the treaty.

Leaders on both sides made separate canvasses today of the attitude of Democratic senators toward acceptance of the crucial article ten reservation in its original form with the result that both claimed to be gaining strength. Among the Republicans it was declared that only a few more Democratic votes would be needed to insure ratification but the administration senators asserted ratification would fall by a wide margin unless the Republican article ten reservation were modified.

The Democratic leaders also are understood to have felt out sentiment among the irreconcilables, particularly with a view to the probable political consequences if ratification on the basis of the Republican reservations again were blocked by Democratic votes. Such a result, it generally is conceded would throw the whole question into the campaign for this question it was declared divided councils were found among the irreconcilables.

Senator Borah, Republican, Idaho has said openly that he would carry the fight for rejection to the people after the convention.

Others of the group however are said to favor accepting the decision of the convention.

## Y. M. C. A. WORKERS IN SYRIA SLAIN

(By The Associated Press)  
NEW YORK, Feb. 27.—News of the safe arrival at Aleppo Syria of Mrs. Frank Johnson of Newark, Ohio, wife of a Y. M. C. A. worker, who with James Perry of Camden, Maine, was slain by bandits in the Antab region on February 5, was contained in a cable message received here tonight.

The dispatch said Johnson and Perry were enroute to India in a Near East relief motor car when they and their native driver were attacked and killed on the Antab road north of Killis. A French relief party subsequently was repulsed by the bandits. "All our personnel is safe and have been cautioned to remain at their posts for the present," the cable message added. "The murder of Perry and Johnson is regarded as accidental, the bandits taking the Americans for a French guard."

"Five of our fifteen supply wagons, following the car were plundered by the bandits. Mrs. Johnson is safe in Aleppo."

## BOLSHEVIKI TAKE SEVERAL VILLAGES

LONDON, Feb. 27.—A Bolshevik communication received early today records the unchecked progress of the red forces in the Murmansk region and announces the occupation of two stations and several villages. The communication says an armored train, eight airplanes and a large quantity of war material have been taken.

On the southwest front in the region of Tiraspol and Odessa, the communication announces the captures between January 24 and February 17 included 12,700 prisoners, 342 guns, 23 armored trains, 5,500 rifles, 15 airplanes and 300 motor cars.

On the Caucasian front the Bolsheviks claimed the occupation of a number of localities between the sea and Rostov.

## NATIVE AND WHITE MINERS CLASH IN AFRICA

London, Feb. 27.—Several hundred striking native miners attacked white miners who were about to descend into the mine shaft last Wednesday at Johannesburg, South Africa, according to a Central News dispatch from Johannesburg.

A pitched battle ensued in which the military was employed. Four native were killed and 35 injured and six Europeans were wounded.

## AIRPLANE FALLS FIVE MILES, PILOT LIVES TO TELL TALE

(By The Associated Press)  
DAYTON, Ohio, Feb. 27.—An airplane carrying Major R. W. Schroeder, chief test pilot at McCook field today fell over five miles after reaching an altitude of 36,020 feet and was 5,020 feet higher than the world's record.

Tonight the major is in a hospital suffering from shock and temporary partial blindness. Instruments on the machine indicate that it fell more than five miles in two minutes. While still 2,000 feet above the ground the airplane righted itself and glided to a graceful landing. When the plan settled, attendants who rushed toward it found Major Schroeder sitting in the machine apparently lifeless. For a brief time, residents of Dayton were sure a meteor had appeared in the sky. They had mistaken the trail of vapor escaping from the machine as it sped downward for a "stranger in the heavens."

Thousands of persons gazed skyward watching the plane, which had ascended two hours before, plunge downward. Major Schroeder lost consciousness when his machine had reached a height recorded by instruments as 36,020 or 5,020 feet higher than the world's record established by Roland Rolph last summer.

His senses numbed and his eyes frozen shut in a temperature said to have been 67 degrees below zero. Schroeder regained partial consciousness when 2,000 feet above the earth in time to right his machine and prevent it from crashing to the ground out of control.

The thousands of spectators were unaware at the time that they were witnessing a "drama of the sky." They saw a speck of black silhouetted against the blue to which was attached a "tail" of grayish color. Gradually the speck was enlarged as it hurtled to the earth. When but a few thousand feet above them, those watching saw that it was an airplane auring into a tail spin. It was at this point that Major Schroeder regained control of his plane and headed it toward McCook field. Here Major Schroeder made a safe landing and collapsed.

He was blinded and his limbs numbed, despite the electrically heated suit in which he was encased. He was suffering from the effects of a lack of oxygen. When nearly five miles above the earth his oxygen tanks became exhausted and it was this which robbed him of consciousness and caused him to fall.

Mechanics and officers at McCook field lifted Major Schroeder from the plane and he was given first aid treatment, and later removed to the post hospital where it was said his blindness will be only temporary.

The instruments on his machine recorded the best story of the experiences of the aviator. In his flight to beat the record of Roland Rolphs and bring first honors to the air forces of the United States army. The thermometer registered a temperature of 55 degrees below zero centigrade, or 67 degrees below zero Fahrenheit. Altitude figures from the barograph reading indicated a height of 37,000 feet and when calibrated showed an official altitude of 36,020 feet a new world's record with a variation of less than 1,000 feet.

The mark set by Major Schroeder again gives him the record which Roland Rolphs won from him July 30, 1919, with an official altitude of 30,300 feet and later increased in a second flight to 31,000 feet. It also breaks the record of Adjutant Charles A. French pilot, who was credited with an unofficial record of 33,137 feet.

Major Schroeder's first record was made at Dayton Sept. 18, 1918 when he flew a Bristol fighting machine to an altitude of 28,900 feet.

The sudden change in air pressure from less than three pounds at 36,000 feet to 14.7 pounds at sea level crushed the gasoline tanks on his plane and caused to collapse, besides jolting Major Schroeder to his senses.

Modern inventions unthought of before the war made not only Major Schroeder's air voyage possible, but also enabled him to return with an accurate scientific record of the flight to substantiate his verbal claims.

Major Schroeder was dressed heavier than any polar explorer who ever set forth. He literally was wrapped in flexible electric heaters. His flying suit was lined with the fur of Chinese musk dogs, connected by silk covered wires with the dynamo of the engine, heated the entire suit.

In a like manner his headgear, gloves and moccasins were heated. Major Schroeder wore an oxygen mask of his own design.

U. S. POLICY OF FUTURE  
DEPENDS ON SUCCESS  
OF EXPERIMENT MADE

(By Associated Press)  
NEW YORK, Feb. 27.—"The government policy of the future will, no doubt, depend upon the success of the experiment now making."

"The act itself is about to enter upon its test period." If, under the system which it establishes, the credit of the carriers is made sufficient to enable them to perform their public duties, the legislation will be universal concession, he a success. If, on the other hand, such credit is not established, the legislation will be a failure. In addition to the act, the interstate commerce commission, several state commissions, the labor unions and the carriers themselves are all on trial.

"The state commissions are on trial, because if they hold the back and refuse to cooperate with the union establishing a harmonious system of rates to apply both state and interstate commerce of the same carrier, they will impose an obstacle in the way of the strike of system for which purpose the opinion will hold them responsible."

"The labor unions are on trial, because the government itself has created an official agency for the fair and equitable adjustment of all grievances and of all controversies as to wages and living conditions, and if defiance of the conclusions thus officially reached the labor organizations unjustly and contrary to public opinion interrupt the orderly and continuous movement of interstate commerce, upon which the welfare of the whole public depends, they cannot expect to be sustained by the people, to whose will, at last all must bow."

## ROPER TO QUIT AS COMMISSIONER OF INTERNAL REVENUE

Will Retire to Private  
Life—Plans Not  
Announced

(By The Associated Press)  
WASHINGTON, Feb. 27.—(By The Associated Press).—Daniel C. Roper, commissioner of internal revenue has informed governmental officials of his intention to resign shortly. Although his formal resignation had not been received tonight at the white house the matter of his successor is understood to be under consideration. Beyond the fact that he plans to return to private life no information was given to the future plans of Mr. Roper was available tonight. The resignation, however, it was ascertained will not become effective for several weeks, Mr. Roper having consented to remain at the head of the revenue bureau until after income tax returns for the past year have been filed and the collection of such taxes the first installment of which is due March 15 is well underway.

In returning to private life Mr. Roper will wind up a long public career as the administrator of the greatest tax collection agency ever organized which last year gathered approximately \$8,000,000,000 in government revenues. He became commissioner of internal revenue in 1917, just as the war emergency caused abnormal increase in all federal taxes and necessitated the expansion of the bureau from a small peace-time affair, concerned chiefly with imposts on alcohol and tobacco, into a tremendous machine reaching into the pockets of millions of citizens for increased taxes.

In administering this enormous and somewhat ungrateful task, Mr. Roper followed an original policy as exemplified by his statement that a man ought to be "brought to pay taxes. He sought and obtained cooperation of business interests and expressed the hope that he had been able to make taxpaying more popular than it was. Excesses of the tax laws were punished inexorably. Mr. Roper's bureau was given the task of enforcing nationwide prohibition by the Volstead enforcement act and he utilized the personnel and machinery to establish a prohibition enforcement section, with branches in every state.

Mr. Roper is a native of South Carolina, where he served in the state legislature before coming to Washington. He was appointed first assistant postmaster general in 1913, resigning to become chairman of the organization bureau of President Wilson's campaign for re-election in 1916.

He then was appointed to the United States tariff commission, which he became vice-chairman, resigning to take charge of the bureau of internal revenue.

VERSION OF ARMISTICE  
DAY SHOOTING GIVEN  
(By The Associated Press)  
MONTESANO, Washington, Feb. 27.—A defense version of what happened just before the shooting at Centralia, Washington, during an armistice day parade in which four former soldiers were killed was given here today at the trial of ten I. W. W. on a charge of murder.

Britt Smith, secretary of the Centralia local of the I. W. W. and one of the defendants was on the witness stand. Prior to calling Smith, George V. Vanderveer, of counsel for the defense, announced he would attempt to prove that Warren O. Grimm, with whose murder the defendants specifically are charged was killed while committing an overt act and that he was a party to a conspiracy to raid the I. W. W. hall. Smith testified that he and some of the other defendants were in the hall while the parade was in progress and that there had been talk among them of protecting the hall against a mob.

## OFFICIALS DISCUSS IRON CITY TROUBLE

CHICAGO, Feb. 27.—H. M. Gaylord, assistant prohibition commissioner who conferred today with Mayor A. V. Darymple, prohibition enforcement agent of the central states, said he had no intention of visiting Iron River before returning to Washington and that he had not been ordered to make an investigation of the clash between state and federal officers here. Following the conference Mr. Gaylord said that nothing but matters concerning the district controlled by Major Darymple had been discussed.

## CLUGSTON TRIAL NEARS THE END

MACOMB, Ill., Feb. 27.—The fate of Dr. George Alverson and Mrs. Alice Clugston, charged with the murder of Lawrence Clugston, the woman's husband, last July, expected to be in the hands of the jury tomorrow. The defense will close its case tomorrow morning and the prosecution is not expected to consume much time.

The trial is now in its fourth week and thus far the state has not indicated it will ask for the death penalty.

## CHARGED WITH PROFITING

St. Louis, Mo., Feb. 27.—Attorney General Palmer, the L. Cohen Grocery Company, a local wholesale firm today was indicted by the federal grand jury on a charge of profiteering to test the constitutionality of an amendment to the Lever food control act.

## OMAN SCARED TO DEATH

Racine, Wis., Feb. 27.—Mrs. J. Cox of this city died last night as a result of hysteria caused as the forced attention of a man who needed her while she was working in the business district. The woman took refuge from her pursuer by running into the city hall, where she fainted. She was taken to her home and physicians called.

## DEMPSEY AND KEARNS ARE INDICTED BY THE FEDERAL GRAND JURY

Charged With Conspiring to  
Keep Fighter Out of  
World War

(By The Associated Press)  
SAN FRANCISCO, Calif., Feb. 27.—William Harrison (Jack) Dempsey, heavyweight champion of the world and his manager, Jack Kearns, were indicted by the federal grand jury today on a charge that they conspired to have Dempsey evade the selective draft. A second indictment against Dempsey charged actual evasion of the draft.

Warrants were sworn out for their arrest and their bonds fixed at \$1,000 each. The conspiracy charge provides for a maximum penalty of two years in the penitentiary and \$2,000 fine and the evasion charge one year in prison. The indictment followed weeks of investigation conducted by E. M. Blanford, chief of the department of justice bureau of investigation and Col. C. W. Thomas, assistant United States district attorney here. The investigation was prompted by public charges by Maxine Dempsey, divorced wife of the pugilist, that she had been compelled to charge Dempsey's claims for exemption.

Subsequently Mrs. Dempsey presented an affidavit to Col. Thomas in which she retracted the charges saying they had been caused by pique against Dempsey. This affidavit figured in the grand jury inquiry. Mrs. Dempsey, Frank Spellman, a representative of a moving picture company, and a number of others prominent through state sports circles and executives of the draft board which exempted Dempsey appeared before the jury.

Federal officials said they were advised that Dempsey and Kearns would arrive here tomorrow to surrender themselves.

Dempsey was charged with having falsely sworn that his father, mother, widowed sister and her two children were dependent on him, that he had contributed \$20 a month each for their support during the year 1917 and that they were receiving support from no other source. Dempsey's statement to the draft board that his wife had lived with him for 18 months previous to his appearance before the board and that his parents and widowed sister had made their home with him for four years were false according to the indictment.

"Say, dear, if I ask you would you if I wanted you to, swear to an affidavit that I was supporting you (said) Dempsey wrote his wife, Maxine Dempsey in August, 1917, the indictment asserted.

## COMPASS FAILS TO WORK IN CHICAGO

(By The Associated Press)  
CHICAGO, Feb. 27.—Those who venture forth to admire and to see in the byways of Chicago will have to steer without the aid of a compass.

J. T. Willis of Topeka, Kansas, discovered this when he came here recently on business. The day he arrived he started out for a walk but soon returned to the house where he was staying.

"I had to come back," he said. "I forgot my compass."

But the compass developed a temper when he got it on the street and wouldn't work. The needle flitted madly with trolley rails and wires and pointed nowhere in particular and when Mr. Willis boarded an elevated train it spun like a top.

"I don't know what the matter," he said. "It always worked out around Topeka."

## WILL DECIDE ON ROAD CONSTRUCTION TODAY

SPRINGFIELD, Ill., Feb. 27.—Some definite announcement regarding the 1920 road building program in Illinois is expected following the meeting at 10 a. m. tomorrow of Governor Frank O. Lowden and the highway advisory board. Announcement of the plan to build 1,000 miles of hard road during the year has been discussed because of the excessive cost of construction indicated in bids recently received. Highway officials consider this figure prohibitive. Resolutions against letting road contracts while the cost is so high were adopted here today by the Illinois Livestock Association and were also adopted at Carbondale last week by the Illinois Farmers' Institute.

## ILLINOIS LIVESTOCK ASSOCIATION DISSOLVES

Springfield, Ill., Feb. 27.—The Illinois Livestock Association today voted to dissolve its organization and merge with the Illinois Agricultural Association.

## WEATHER AND TEMPERATURE INDICATIONS

Illinois — Cloudy to partly cloudy Saturday and Sunday, warmer in extreme south portion Saturday, colder Saturday night and Sunday.

Temperatures.  
The current, maximum and minimum temperatures as recorded Friday were:  
Jacksonville, Ill. 35 29 9  
Boston 12 16 4  
Buffalo 10 14 1  
New York 16 20 10  
New Orleans 48 52 3  
Chicago 30 30 19  
Detroit 18 20 3  
Omaha 34 40 20  
Minneapolis 20 24 13  
Helena 16 20 8  
San Francisco 35 58 46  
Winnipeg 8 16 0

## U. S. OWNERSHIP OF RAILROADS WILL CEASE MARCH 1

Executives Approve  
Provisions of Esch-  
Cummins Bill

(By The Associated Press)  
NEW YORK, Feb. 27.—Approval of the railroad bill now awaiting action by the president was expressed at a meeting here today of executives representing approximately 90 per cent of the country's railways, who discussed the provisions of the bill in connection with the resumption of private ownership, on March 1. After the meeting executives predicted that the proposed legislation would be successful if made sufficient to enable the railroads to perform their public duties.

According to the executives the railways are approximately five years behind in operating equipment as a whole and sufficient credit must first be established before the carriers could begin the task of overcoming that deficit with the resumption of private control under the provisions of the bill every agency connected with the operation of railways is upon trial said a statement by the executives. "The legislation marks a new departure by congress in its policies with respect to regulating the instrumentalities of interstate commerce," the statement said. "Whatever differences of opinion may exist as to the desirability or validity of some of the provisions there must be universal recognition of the high patriotic purpose of those in congress chiefly responsible for the legislation. They were undoubtedly controlled by an earnest desire to create a constructive and workable method of regulation under which the instrumentalities of commerce upon which all business must depend shall be supported and protected in their effort to establish and maintain an adequate and efficient system of transportation."

Railroad administration officials have begun preparations for complete contraction if the great war time organization into the hands of which the federal government took over the railways, several hundred employees will find themselves out of jobs with the delivery of their pay checks tomorrow night.

All regional staffs tomorrow night will turn over their work to the proper corporation officials in the respective regions. Orders already were issued covering the method by which changes in accounting and transfer of funds will be made.

Mr. Hines, however, still will have numerous important questions to deal with after he ceases operation of the lines.

A score of labor organizations have unsettled wage demands before the federal wage board. Decision on many of these will be retroactive when finally decided and for that reason the wage boards will be continued until all such claims have been decided.

Expect Wilson to Sign  
WASHINGTON, Feb. 27.—While there has been no intimations as to whether President Wilson will sign the railroad bill, administration officials generally expect that he will approve it.

The measure was returned to the white house today from the department of justice which ruled there was no constitutional objection to its admission to the statute books. It later was referred to the Federal Reserve Board for opinion. Mr. Hines has made a study of the measure and has said that he regarded it as about the best legislation obtainable under all the circumstances. The president has before him requests of the railway brotherhoods and the National Farmers' Council and the American Society of Equity that he veto the measure on the basis of the requests of other farmers organizations that he sign it and bring government control to an end.

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The Chicago city council favors the daylight saving plan for that city and has so voted. If it becomes a rule for this and that city to operate on the daylight plan while in other cities and rural communities the present time system is followed, there will be much more of a mixup than when the daylight saving plan was followed because of federal law.

The state highway department may be blundering in this talk about delaying the building of hard roads this year because of the high prices asked by material men and contractors. However there has not been much bluff in the present administration of state affairs and it is probable that those in charge of the road building program have decided that good business suggests delay unless lower prices happen to appear.

## CHANGED MILITARY IDEAS

The time was not so many months ago, when those dictating the policy of the war department believed that a comparatively small standing army was necessary for this country. How opinions have changed is clearly emphasized by the fact that the military affairs committee in congress has approved an army organization plan which provides for 8,000 fewer officers than the war department has recommended.

## William Russell

—in—

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## DEMPSEY'S HARDEST BATTLE

Jack Dempsey has signed for the hardest fight of his career. His arrest has just been ordered on the charge of evading the draft act, so he has a fight on with the government, and for that matter with public opinion too. He may win but not without some disfigurement.

## BEWARE

The Altonian Legion is growing in strength every day. The danger which was recognized from the first is now just a little bit more imminent than before. If the legion is to retain its present prestige and grow in influence, it must keep free from political alliances.

## READY FOR NEW DUTIES

Judging from the interest and enthusiasm shown at the conference of Republican women yesterday, there will be an active campaign in Morgan county. Now that women have limited suffrage rights and are in all probability soon to have equal suffrage, there is every reason why they should take up this new duty—this burden of citizenship if you call it such—and meet the issue squarely and courageously. They are abundantly able to do so.

## PUBLIC EXECUTIONS

Both the half the counties in Illinois were represented at the convention of sheriffs in Springfield Thursday. They went on record by practically a unanimous vote in supporting the belief of Sheriff Peters of Cook county that it is a beneficial plan to permit men charged with crime to witness hangings. The sheriffs seemed to be of one mind that executions so conducted furnish a fine object lesson to criminals, and will serve as a deterrent influence for those likely to commit crime. It's a debatable question.

## WELL CHOSEN

Some non-residents have a difficult time in pronouncing "Mauvaisterre" but it's really not a difficult word and has its local history. Probably no other name for Jacksonville's new lake would have satisfied so many people, and the committee in making this choice evidently had a desire to be governed by public opinion.

There was a well defined feeling against naming the lake for any individual and the committee felt that it would be better to use a name with local color rather than to choose one famous only because of its association with some other locality.

## THE METHODS OF THE WETS

This and that state is endeavoring to provide for a referendum vote on constitutional prohibition. What's the use of all this stir until the supreme court has passed on the constitutionality of the act? Perhaps that is the very point.

Liquor interests and wet advocates may feel that courts being human are likely to be influenced by public sentiment and so they are hoping to make a demonstration of such a size that it will attract the attention of supreme court members.

## LIBERTY BOND VALUES

The liberty bond market is just now very much depressed and bond sales have ranged from \$89 to \$91 in recent days. This market condition has given the chance for bond speculators to play upon the credulity of bond holders, not familiar with financial or market conditions. There has been propaganda to influence the smaller holders of bonds to sell on the depressed market figure.

So some men come in that they are getting a fine reward for patriotism in being compelled to sell bonds at 10 per cent less than the purchase price, bonds which they bought thru a desire to aid the government in war time. Unless all precedent is broken, the owners of liberty bonds who hold them will later on be able to sell them at a premium if they so desire.

## Rippling Rhymes By Walt Mason

The Flu.  
Last year I had the well known flu, and now I have the flu once more; I lie in bed and say, "Ker-choo!" and other words I have in store. My dome of thought is full of ache, and pain thru all my system wends and busy druggists strive to make the pills the saw-bones recommend. 'Twas war that brought this punk disease, that threatens now my useful life; and Wilhelm with his war lord wheeze was at the bottom of the strife. I cannot think of any ill in all this sorry world so wide, that can't be charged to old Ex-Bill—and now they say he won't be tried. Ah, woe is me! This tin horn sport won't reap the punishment that's due; he'll not appear in any court, for having ushered in the flu. If I should spring some punk disease that made your pills of no avail, how long before the cops would seize my frame and toss the same in jail? This lack of justice makes me blue, my anguish breast with wrath it fills, and so I cry 'Kerswoosh! Kerchoo!' and take another mess of pills.

## BIG SPECIAL TODAY Chocolate Nut Nougat 30c the pound at MERRIGAN'S.

## Deaths

### Roberts

Andrew J. Roberts died at his home 326 East College avenue at 9 o'clock Friday morning.

Deceased was the son of William and Mary Roberts and was born in Scotland May 31, 1862. He had been a resident of this city for the past thirty years.

July 3, 1891 he was united in marriage to Miss Mae Ferguson, who survives. He also leaves two daughters, Mrs. Anna Mae Whidden, Seattle, Wash., Mrs. C. Ernest Reed Buffalo, Ill., two brothers, Robert Roberts, Industry, John Roberts, San Francisco, Calif., Mrs. Maggie Van and Mrs. Georgia Black, Los Angeles, Calif. Mr. Roberts was a carpenter by occupation and was a member of the local union. He was a man who commanded the respect of all who knew him.

No arrangements have been made for the funeral.

### SECRETARY FINDLEY RE-TURNS FROM CONVENTION

Secretary Findley of the Y. M. C. A. returned Friday from Chicago where he has been attending the State Biennial convention of the Y. M. C. A. He also attended a conference of the employed officers of the Y. M. C. A.

A committee which was appointed at the International convention in Cleveland last November made an extensive report on occupying the Y. M. C. A. field. The State Secretary made a detailed report of the activities of the Y. during the past three years which showed a vast growth and development especially in the county work, the county work is now organized in six counties.

### TAKES NEW POSITION.

Mr. and Mrs. William Eads are in Jacksonville for a few hours visit with relatives and will leave tomorrow morning for Marion, Ohio. Mr. Eads will take a position there on the staff of the Marion Star. The city has a population of about 35,000 and the Star's circulation is in proportion. Mr. Eads after a number of years' connection with the Journal, went to the Bloomington Bulletin last fall. He has made good there and the better position with the Ohio paper was the result.

### THE DIFFERENCE OF MONEY VALUES

E. M. Vasconcellos now has a definite idea what the present rate of exchange is meaning in foreign countries. As administrator of an estate he recently sent to the Island of Madeira a draft for \$177.10. The recipient was able to purchase with this draft \$651.72 of the money of his home country. He wrote that had the draft arrived Jan. 17 instead of Jan. 19, that its purchasing power would have been \$796.

The Morgan County Sunday School Association will hold its first business meeting of the year in the Ayers bank building today at 12:30 o'clock.

## COMMITTEE READY WITH LAKE NAME

Decides By Unanimous Vote In Favor of Mauvaisterre—Victory Drive Plan Endorsed.

The big question has been decided. Jacksonville's new lake has been named. When you refer to the new reservoir and the adjacent supply of water, call it "Mauvaisterre Lake". Such was the decision of the "committee on lake name" which met at the Woman's college last night. Dr. Joseph R. Harker was elected chairman and R. A. Gates secretary. Members of the committee were:

President Water Committee—Joseph R. Harker.  
President Chamber of Commerce—Henry Frisch.  
President Trades & Labor Assembly—W. T. Hardy.  
President Woman's Club—Mrs. O. F. Bufile.

President Rotary Club—H. M. Capps.  
Ex-Mayor—Henry J. Rodgers.  
First Ward Representatives—Mrs. A. W. Becker, Roy Fernandes.

Second Ward Representatives—R. A. Gates, Miss Maria Fairbank.  
Third Ward Representatives—Mrs. Annie E. P. Moore, Edward Long.

Fourth Ward Representatives—H. H. Bancroft and Mrs. Wm. Alexander.  
Chairman Citizens Committee—Dr. E. F. Baker.

Mrs. George A. Moore and H. M. Capps, members of the committee were unable to attend.

At the beginning of the session there was informal discussion of the whole matter and a number of names were suggested including Mauvaisterre, Jacksonville, Victory, Community, Co-operative, Union, Morgan, City and Liberty. However, it soon developed that a majority of those present were in favor of Mauvaisterre, and then this name was chosen by a unanimous vote. Most members of the committee seemed to feel that the word Mauvaisterre has a strong local meaning, is quite well known to persons resident here, and much more distinctive than other names which might have been selected.

The committee also went on record as favoring the suggestion made by the Service Star Legion that the drive which will later be constructed around the lake be known as "Victory Drive."

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### FAVOR IMPROVEMENTS NOW.

A number of residents on East State street, east of the railroad are very much in favor of paving this year. It is understood that petitions are now in circulation, and that asphalt has been suggested as the material. There is also considerable discussion of the paving question among the residents of Jordan street.

Still another forward project which is being discussed is that of boulevard lighting along some of the principal streets of Jacksonville. It is probable that a representative of a firm manufacturing boulevard light concrete posts will come to Jacksonville in the course of a few weeks with a film, showing views in a number of cities before and after the building of boulevard systems. It is possible to construct boulevard systems thru the public improvement act, in the same method that pavements and sewers are constructed.

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### JUSTICE COURTS

Monroe Abell and Edward McCollister were arraigned in Justice Opperman's court Friday afternoon on the charge of assault with deadly weapon. The complaining witness is Taylor Reed.

A continuance was asked and granted to the defendants until 8 o'clock this morning. Their attorney Walter W. Wright wishing to call some witnesses.

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## LOCAL TEAMS FIGURE IN TWO VICTORIES

Jacksonville High Defeats Bluffs High 27 to 24—Illinois College Wins From McKendree 19 to 16—Both Games Fast and Rough.

Jacksonville High and Illinois college both figured in basketball victories at David Prince gymnasium Friday night.

Jacksonville defeated Bluffs high by a score of 27 to 24. Illinois college won from McKendree by a score of 19 to 16. Both games were fast and rough, and the large crowd of spectators were kept in a constant state of excitement until the final whistle was sounded.

The first game was between Jacksonville and Bluffs. Bluffs went into the game with the idea that it was just a practice bout to get them in trim for the tournament. However, they were soon disabused of that idea for Jacksonville immediately took the lead and scored seven points before Bluffs broke the ice.

However, when Bluffs did finally get to going they showed that they have a real basketball team for they dropped fingers in for a time with regularity and finally took the lead.

The score was untied and tied up several times during the first half and also during the second half. When the half ended the score was 15 to 12 in favor of Jacksonville.

When the second half started Bluffs took the lead after a few minutes play. Then the teams exchanged for some time before Jacksonville finally forged to the front and stayed there.

Guard Lucas Closely Bluffs played Lucas closely thruout the entire game. However, they could not keep him entirely away from the basket as he scored ten points. It was while Bluffs was giving Lucas so much attention that Woods tossed enough baskets to put Jacksonville on the winning side of the ledger. Woods scored 17 points for Jacksonville.

Hunt while he did not get a counter fed the ball in good shape and did some excellent work. Green and Gard did great work at the guard position. Green fouled to the side lines just before the game closed for four personal fouls.

Bluffs presented a strong team and will undoubtedly be heard from in the tournament here next week. Knoepfel and Rolf played a strong game at guard while Thompson was the main point scorer. He was especially good in foul throws and had Bluffs been able to negotiate more field baskets the result might have been different.

College Game Starts As soon as the high school game was over Illinois and McKendree came out and warmed up. This game was for blood and was a hummer from gun to gun.

Illinois took the lead at the start of the game but McKendree got to going and was always within hailing distance.

The game was extremely fast and both teams did some excellent passing and floor work. However, the guarding was so close both the forwards of both teams had to shoot under difficulties. At the end of the first half the score was 11 to 8 in favor of Illinois. When the second half started McKendree by some long distance shooting evened the score and then took the lead.

Illinois Comes From Behind It began to look bad for Illinois with the score 16 to 13 in favor of McKendree. However, Coach Harmon sent in Tomlinson and by some fast floor work Illinois evened the score and then took the lead. With two minutes to play the teams speeded up and there was some of the fastest basketball ever seen in David Prince gymnasium with McKendree threatening the basket all the time.

All of the Illinois men played an excellent game. On offense Andrew, Mellon, Tomlinson, Antrobus and Davis did sterling work. While on defense Mutch again played a whale of a game. Mutch seemed to be just finding himself and he stopped the McKendree forwards in their tracks until sent from the game for personal fouls. Cully who took his place speeded up the game.

Wagner, right guard for McKendree played the best game for his team. He played the floor well and also tossed nearly all of the baskets. Weineke also played a good game at center, but

both Mellon and Tomlinson outplayed him.

Illinois and McKendree will meet again this evening. Play will be called at 8 o'clock and Illinois is going to try and even the score with McKendree which won two games on her floor earlier in the season. The scores:

Jacksonville	F.G.	F.T.	Tot.
Lucas, f.....	5	0	10
Hunt, f.....	0	0	0
Woods, c.....	6	5	17
Green, g.....	0	0	0
Maney, g.....	0	0	0
Gard, g.....	0	0	0
Totals.....	11	4	27

Bluffs	F.G.	F.T.	Tot.
Thompson, f.....	5	8	18
Lankford, f.....	1	0	2
L. Knoepfel, f.....	0	0	0
Kiliver, c.....	0	0	0
Rolf, c.....	2	0	4
R. Knoepfel, g.....	0	0	0
Totals.....	8	8	24

Referee—Harmon, Illinois college.

Illinois	F.G.	F.T.	Tot.
Andrew, f.....	1	0	2
Antrobus, f.....	2	1	5
Mellon, c.....	3	0	6
Tomlinson, c.....	2	0	4
Davis, g.....	1	0	2
Mutch, g.....	0	0	0
Cully, g.....	0	0	0
Totals.....	9	1	19

McKendree	F.G.	F.T.	Tot.
Canedy, f.....	1	0	2
Sayre, f.....	0	0	0
Garrett, c.....	0	2	2
Weineke, c.....	1	0	2
Vagener, g.....	5	0	10
Collard, g.....	0	0	0
Totals.....	7	2	16

Referee—Hufford, Hanover.

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## REAL ESTATE TRANSFERS

J. M. Hurst to J. E. Osborne, pt. lot 1, block 21, City addition, \$1.

Felix E. Farrell et al to E. B. Conover, east half etc., 24-15-9, \$150,000. This transfer was in accordance with a contract made early in 1919, for the purchase of 522 acres in Alexander precinct owned by F. E. Farrell and E. E. Crabtree.

C. A. Reece to T. G. Hynes, west half southeast quarter, 8-15-11, \$10.

Martha Alcott to J. C. Luke-man, pt. lot 82 old plat, \$1.

Edward Farmer to J. L. Hogan, property in Waverly, \$750.

W. W. Wiswell to J. E. Million, east half southwest quarter, 15-13-10, \$1.

Mary Dunavon to J. W. Walton, trustees, lot 6, block 12, Lurton & Kedzie's subdivision, Jacksonville, \$1,700.

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## PROBATE COURT.

In the estate of Harvey Sorrells, the inventory was approved, and petition to omit appraisement was allowed.

In the estate of Matthew T. Ferreira, the final receipts were filed and the estate declared closed.

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## WOMEN PREPARE FOR CAMPAIGN WORK

Mrs. W. L. Alexander, Chairman of Republican Women's County Committee, Hostess at First of Luncheon Conference.

The luncheon given Friday at the Peacock Inn by Mrs. W. L. Alexander was in fact a conference of a number of Republican women relative to organization and one of a series Mrs. Alexander has planned. Mrs. Alexander, who was appointed chairman of the first women's Republican Morgan county committee, has ever since that time been busy with organization plans, the purpose being for women to take their full share of responsibility in the campaign this fall.

The company invited for the luncheon yesterday included the following: Mrs. J. J. Reeve, District Chairman of Republican Women of the Twentieth Congressional District; Mrs. Andrew Russell, Mrs. John Kastrup, Mrs. Will Spencer, Mrs. W. A. Fay, Mrs. Miller Weir, Mrs. Keith Montgomery, Miss Clara Cobb, Mrs. Clarence Reid, Mrs. Joseph Gimes, Mrs. Paul Samuell, Mrs. Herbert Capps, Mrs. Thomas Buckthorpe, Mrs. C. H. Rammelkamp, Mrs. W. L. Crabtree, Mrs. W. S. Jones, Misses Maria Fairbank, Esther Davis, and Mrs. Chester Colton of Woodson, and Miss Amy Onken of Chapin.

After luncheon had been served Mrs. Alexander pointed out some

of the necessities of organization if the women of the county are to take their proper place and share in the party responsibility in the forty three precincts of Morgan county.

Mrs. J. J. Reeve, who is chairman of the twentieth congressional district, was the next speaker and gave a very interesting word picture of the luncheon and conference, held in Chicago several weeks ago when hundreds of women from all parts of the state were in attendance. Mrs. Reeve has found hearty co-operation all throughout the district, and an evident desire on the part of the women voters of the ten counties to fully measure up to their responsibilities.

Mrs. Miller Weir emphasized the necessity of women now sharing with men the burdens of political life. She said that the importance of present day problems that the country faces makes this sharing the more important.

Others who spoke were Miss Clara Cobb, Miss Maria Fairbank, Mrs. Keith Montgomery, Mrs. H. J. Capps, Mrs. W. L. Crabtree, Mrs. Clarence Reid, Mrs. W. A. Fay, Mrs. T. H. Buckthorpe, Mrs. W. S. Jones, Jacksonville, Miss Amy Onken, Chapin.

More than one speaker confessed to some original reluctance in taking part in political affairs, but said that it is now a different matter and the plain duty of women to aid in every possible way in bringing about the best governmental conditions.

The idea was emphasized too that women cannot be expected to be as fully informed about political facts as are men, who have long had suffrage rights, and therefore, that women should have no hesitation about acknowledging any lack of information and then using their best efforts to get at the facts.

Altogether it was a very interesting occasion and augured well for the party interest and harmony program that Mrs. Alexander as chairman of the committee is seeking to inaugurate.

### REBEKAH NO. 13 CONFERS DEGREE

Jacksonville Rebekah Lodge No. 13 conferred the degree of the order at the regular meeting held Friday evening.

Those taking the work were: Russell Fairfield, W. H. Morrow, Leon E. Stewart, Byron W. Stewart, Irene Smith and Lee Cobb.

A number of visitors were present from Caritas lodge No. 625, Miss Beatrice King of Virginia and Miss Stella Wiggins of Palmyra were also visitors.

An invitation was accepted from Caritas lodge to join in a school of instruction March 18, when State Instructor Grace Henry will be present. Two petitions for membership were received. A social hour followed the work and refreshments were served.

### FIRE ALARM

The fire department was called to the home of Fred Muse, 500 Clay avenue at 11:55 o'clock yesterday morning, the fire was quickly put out with the chemicals and no great damage done.

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### TEACHERS WILL MEET TODAY

The Morgan County Teachers Association will hold a meeting this afternoon at the David Prince school. A very interesting program has been arranged.

### FUNERAL NOTICE

Funeral services for the late Antonio DePrates will be held at 2 o'clock this afternoon from Northminster church in charge of Rev. W. E. Spooner.

### MISS HELEN GERMAN HAS GONE TO MOBILE FOR A VISIT OF TWO WEEKS WITH FRIENDS.

### INCOME-TAX FACTS YOU SHOULD KNOW

Many taxpayers last year realized large profits from the sale of property, real and personal, all of which must be accounted for in their return of income. Profit from such transactions is taxable income of the year in which realized, though it may have actually accrued in other years. If, however, any part of the profit accrued prior to March 1, 1913, when the first income-tax law went into effect, it is not taxable.

### In such case the fair market value of the property of March 1, 1913, is deducted from the selling price to determine the amount of profit.

For example, real estate bought in 1910 for \$10,000 and sold rapidly in value, so that on March 1, 1913, it was worth \$15,000, and similar pieces sold for that price. In 1919 it was sold for \$17,500. The profit is \$7,500, but as on March 1, 1913, its fair market value was \$15,000, only the difference between that amount and the amount for which it was sold, of \$2,500, is taxable income.

### Deductions Allowed.

In the purchase and sale of real estate, brokers' fees, commissions, lawyers, fees, stamp taxes, recording fees, etc., are considered part of the cost and may be deducted from the selling price in ascertaining profit. The rule is the same where personal property is bought and sold at a profit.

If, in order to sell for a higher price, the property is bettered or improved, as by the erection of a building, the expense of such improvement may be added to the cost and deducted by the owner in determining the amount of his profit. The above items, if deducted from gross income when the expenditure was made, can not later be considered in arriving at the profit, or, in other words, can not be included as a business expense, but also as a part of the cost of property.

### Selling Price.

The selling price property includes promissory notes, securities, or anything accepted as cash, and the profit must be included as income when received. Installment sales involving a relatively small initial payment and deferred payments are governed by special Treasury regulations. The profit upon an installment sale is apportioned to each installment and is only reported for taxation as collected. Except where these special regulations for installment sales apply, notes, mortgages, and other deferred payments must be considered as if the entire price was paid in cash. In case any notes should be worthless, or a deferred payment can not be collected when due, the taxpayer, after exhausting every reasonable means for collection, may charge the amount off as a bad debt in a subsequent year. The sale of the property is regarded as a closed transaction and the collection of the notes as a new item.

The return must show the kind of property on which the profit was realized, the name and address of the purchaser or broker, the sale price, date acquired, cost or market value as of March 1, 1913. If acquired prior thereto, cost of subsequent improvements. If any, and depreciation subsequently sustained.

In the case of property acquired prior to March 1, 1913, the return must show how the fair value of that date is determined. In the case of real estate, machinery, merchandise, or other property which does not have a public market price, any relevant evidence may be considered, such as the opinion of experts, prices asked or offered for similar property at that time, and other facts. The value as of that date should not include any prospective or speculative profits, but should represent the price at which the property could have been sold under conditions then existing.

In determining the profit on the sale of property the amount of depreciation as well as the actual cost of such property must be considered. For example, an owner sells in 1919 for \$16,000 a building which in 1915 cost him \$12,000.

Figuring 3 per cent annually as the proper allowance for depreciation, the total allowance is \$1,440, which amount must be included in his profit on the transaction. Because the depreciation represents a loss in prior years it may not be deducted in ascertaining the profits realized in the taxable year.

**ALEXANDER.**  
William Colwell returned Friday evening from Indianapolis, driving a new Ford car for C. N. Priest of Jacksonville.

Mrs. William Allen of north of Alexander is critically ill of pneumonia.

George Colwell has returned from a business trip to Chicago.

Mrs. DeSousa of Decatur is the guest of friends in Alexander.

Mrs. H. J. Ridder has returned from a visit with relatives in Springfield.

Charles Martin continues to show slight improvement after his recent attack of typhoid fever.

O. W. Elmore has moved to the Huffaker farm north of Alexander. Byron Kindred and family are occupying the house just vacated by Mr. Elmore.

William Kloppe, living south of Alexander, is recovering from a serious illness of pneumonia.

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WANTED—100 light hogs, J. W. Arnold, Arnold, Ill. 1-23-tf

WANTED—Pruning, orchards, small fruits, shrubbery and grape vines. A. W. Baldwin, Call Ill. 60-1064. 2-10-lmo

WANTED—Stove and furniture repairing; furniture refinished. Ill. Phone 1690. Bell 490. 740 E. North street. Louis Imboden. 2-2-tf

WANTED—To rent five room cottage or bungalow. Address C. care Journal. 2-18-tf

WANTED TO RENT—Rooms for visiting teams, March 4, 5, 6. Write F. A. Koepeing, Pittsfield, Ill. 2-28-st

WANTED TO BUY—Small house, west or south part of town. Address F. G. P., care Journal. 2-26-3t

WANTED—Five S. C. Brown Leg-horn cockerels. Must be full blood. Henry C. Stewart, R. F. D. No. 6, Jacksonville, Ill. 2-28-st

WANTED—To buy a building or building lot near square; state location and price. Address R. C., care Journal office. 2-27-tf

WANTED—Place in private family by good cook, 518 Rockwell street. 2-28-3t

WANTED—Watch and clock repairing; guaranteed main-springs, \$1.00. Jacksonville Manufacturing Jeweler, upstairs, 225 1/2 East State street. 1-26-tf

WANTED—Houses! Listen, we have buyers for five homes in West End modern; 6 to 9 rooms each. Bell phone 522. Ill. 1522. Jacksonville Realty Co., Ayers Bank Bldg. 2-26-3t

WANTED TO RENT—Within a month, house or rooms for light housekeeping in good location. Small family; no children. Address 75, care Journal. 2-27-6t

WANTED—To let the farmers know that I am better prepared than ever before to sharpen, polish and repair all kinds of farming tools. Jas. B. Seaver, Blacksmith, 301 North Main street. 2-27-lmo

WANTED—To communicate with parties owning land in the states of Kansas, Oklahoma, Texas, Louisiana or New Mexico with a view of leasing for oil, if unleased or interested write me. G. A. Urban, Quincy, Ill. 2-21-10t

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WANTED—Men for farm work. Farm Bureau, Court House, Jacksonville, Ill. 2-20-tf

WANTED—Girls. Grand Laundry. 2-3-tf

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WANTED—Man and wife or two women for short order cooks and waiters. Good wages, board and room. Illinois phone 50-1485. 2-26-6t

WANTED—Experienced married man to work on farm. Bell phone 980 ring 4. 2-27-3t

WANTED—White women for general house work. Good home and liberal pay. Temporary or permanent. H. L. Wood, Bell 941-2. 2-26-4t

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FOR SALE—Modern 7 room house and three lots, 702 E. State. Apply E. H. Doolin, 403 N. Main. 2-12-tf

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FOR SALE—Car load of walnut logs, white oak fence posts. Ill. phone 077, Woodson. 1-27-lmo

FOR SALE—Good lunch at W. C. RIGGS, 227 W. Lafayette Ave. Cheapest place in town. Open till 12 o'clock every night. 2-27-6t

FOR SALE—160 acre farm 1 mile from shipping point, 2 barns, stock scales, level except 20 acres. \$150 per acre. Smith & Foster, Duncan Building, Jacksonville, Ill. 2-27-3t

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FOR SALE—Birds eye maple bed and spring, 1232 South Main. 2-35-tf

FOR SALE—One Buckeye Incubator, 128 Capacity Standard Colony brooder, 500 chick capacity. Ill. phone 1001. 138 Howe street. 2-28-tf

FOR SALE—1917 Model Ford in good condition. Quick sale. Cheap. Both phones 240, Fred Cain. 2-22-6t

FOR SALE—Six room house, small barn, paved street. C. W. Johnson, 258 West Morton Ave. 2-24-6t

FOR SALE—Choice seed oats. Blackburn Elevator Co. 2-24-6t

FOR SALE—Eggs. Baby chicks of highest quality. Barred Plymouth Rock and S. C. W. Leghorns. Write or phone me. Thos. M. Stubblefield, Jacksonville, Ill. Bell phone 970-3. 1-25-lmo

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FOR SALE—5 room cottage good location, fourth ward, large lot, paved street, partly modern. Address "Bargain," care Journal. 2-28-2t

FOR SALE—Modern 8 room house with bath, 213 N. Church street. Call City Elevator. Ill. phone 8; Bell phone 176 or Bell phone 552. 1-28-tf

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FOR SALE—House and lot, 216 North East street. 1-3-tf

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FOR SALE—8-room house, with garage and barn, west end. Apply 240 Pine street. 2-21-7t

FOR SALE—Custodian's house, at Nichols Park; to be sold to highest bidder for cash. Bids will be received up to 12 o'clock noon, Mar. 1, 1930, by T. J. Brennan, Secretary. 2-20-7

**LANDOLOGY**—A magazine giving the facts in regard to the land situation. Three months' subscription FREE. If for a home or as an investment you are thinking of buying good farm lands, simply write me a letter and say "Mail me LANDOLOGY" and all particulars FREE. Address Editor, LandoLOGY, Skidmore Land Co., 132 Skidmore Bldg., Marinette, Wis. 1-1-1 mo.

FOR SALE OR RENT—Store room, 226 West State street, now occupied by Gillham Undertaking parlors. Lot extends thru to Court street which can be included if desired. Inquire W. C. Bradish, owner, 1130 West College avenue. 2-8-tf

FOR SALE—5 room house, summer kitchen, good cellar, good barn, eight lots, west edge of city. Enquire R. N. Jone, Bell phone, 779. Possession March 1. 2-27-6t

FOR SALE—Ford touring car, 1914 model, good condition; bargain; Ill. phone 1405. 2-27-2t

If interested in purchasing a 142 acre farm situated 6 miles northeast of Jacksonville, 2 miles from shipping point with elevator, 1/2 mile to school, on rural route, telephone, satisfactory improvements, possession immediately, at a price which has paid a approximate average of 14 per cent; see owner, Frank M. Epler, at F. G. Farrell & Co. bank, any day 11 to 2 p. m. 2-28-tf

**MISCELLANEOUS**

**MONEY TO LOAN ALWAYS**—The Johnston Agency 2-1-tf

**MONEY TO LOAN on real estate security.** M. C. Hook & Co. 1-20-tf

**JACKSONVILLE BUS and BAGGAGE LINE;** baggage service to and from all depots. Prompt, reliable service. Telephones: Illinois 1665; Bell 2. 1-28-tf

**MOVING, PACKING, HAULING** Shipping. All work given prompt, careful attention. City Transfer Co., McBride and Green, 740 E. North St. Bell phone 490, Ill. 1690. 2-10-lmo

**MOVING, HAULING, packing and storage,** by competent men. prompt attention given to all orders. Either phone 721, Jacksonville Transfer & Storage Co., Frank Eades, Mgr. 1-6-lmo

**SALE BILLS**—If you are planning a public sale you can secure bills at the Journal office at reasonable rates. Prompt and satisfactory service assured. 9-12-tf

**WANTED**—My old friends and customers to know that I am back in the printing game at my old stand, 212 W. State street, where I will be glad to meet them and renew old relations. Wallace Gibbs, Careful printing. Over New System Bakery. 1-8-tf

**LOST and FOUND**

LOST—Lens and rim from Hupmobile Headlight. M. E. Greenleaf, 503 Ayers Bank Bldg. 2-27-3t

FOUND—Lady's wrist watch. Call at Journal office, prove property and pay for ad. 2-27-2t

LOST—Brown mink scarf in Wabash station. Reward, return to Journal. 2-20-6t

LOST—Black velvet bag containing money and faye glasses. Reward for return to Journal office. 2-28-2t

FOUND—Mrs. M. L. Watts, west of Jacksonville, finds Watkin's Poultry Tonic the best she ever tried for full blood Buff Orpingtons, for eggs; also for growing and preventing gaps in young chicks. B. H. McCarty, 439 W. Morgan street. 2-25-6t

**PAYSON FARM, ADAMS CO., ILL.**

FOR SALE—430 acres of land, one-half mile east of Payson, large frame house, steam heat, water in kitchen, living well and cistern on porch, sewer connections, screened porch below and sleeping porch above. Small new house, large bank barn, machine sheds, hay barn with cattle shed below, drilled well with windmill and also gasoline engine attached, new garage, hen houses, wood shed, house, a two-story small building, large pasture with running spring, ideal stock and grain farm. Payson, nearest town, has four churches, two banks, four stores, high school, post office.

Price of farm \$25 an acre. Write for particulars. Telephone at residence on private line.

GEORGE WICKANCAW, Owner, Box 153, Payson, Adams Co., Illinois 1-30-tf

Mr. and Mrs. D. E. Keaster of Stoneford were Friday visitors in the city.

### BRADSTREET'S REVIEW

(By The Associated Press)

NEW YORK, Feb. 27.—Bradstreet's tomorrow will say:

"A rather more pronounced tendency to conservatism with a somewhat quieter tone characterizes the general business situation. There appears to be a disposition on the part of buyers to go more slowly in making purchases and to look into conditions with greater care. Thus we find indications that to a growing degree buyers confine themselves to meeting immediate requirements while limiting their commitments for the future to a portion of their anticipated needs. Some of the trade reports tell of transactions being in excess of those for the same time last year while showing a falling off from the recent weeks.

"The complaint of scarcity of merchandise continues to be widespread. Manufacturing conditions active, concerns in most sections being reported as working to capacity, but production still lags behind demand in spite of the stimulus of high prices. The future of the general situation is the marked activity in building the the potentialities of this movement are limited by the scarcity and high prices of materials and by enhanced labor costs.

"Weekly bank clearings, \$7,000,957,000."

### Chicago Grain Market

Chicago, Feb. 27.—Corn—No. 3 mixed \$1.47; No. 4 mixed \$1.44 @ \$1.45; No. 5 mixed \$1.43 @ \$1.44; No. 1 yellow \$1.56; No. 2 yellow \$1.48 @ \$1.50; No. 4 yellow \$1.45 @ \$1.47; No. 5 yellow \$1.43 @ \$1.44; No. 6 yellow \$1.42; No. 3 white \$1.49 @ \$1.51; No. 4 white \$1.48 @ \$1.49; No. 5 white \$1.44; sample grade \$1.35.

Oats—No. 2 white 88 @ 89c; No. 3 white 87 @ 88 1/2 c; No. 4 white 86 1/2 @ 87c.

### St. Louis Grain Market

St. Louis, Feb. 27.—Corn—No. 3, \$1.45 @ \$1.46; No. 3 white \$1.52.

Oats—No. 3 89 1/2 c; No. 3 white 90 @ 90 1/2 c.

Open High Low Close

CORN—May \$1.37 1/2 \$1.38 \$1.35 1/2 \$1.35 1/2

July 1.31 1/4 1.31 1/4 1.29 1/2 1.29 1/2

September 1.28 1/4 1.28 1/4 1.26 1/2 1.26 1/2

OATS—May .80 .81 .79 1/2 .79 1/2

July .72 1/2 .73 .72 1/2 .72 1/2

PORK—May 34.75 34.50 34.50

July 34.60 34.37 34.37

LARD—May 20.85 20.92 20.75 20.75

July 21.45 21.25 21.27

RISES—May 18.47 18.22 18.25

July 18.90 18.72 18.72

**ADMINISTRATOR'S NOTICE**

Estate of David O. Tuke, deceased.

The undersigned, having been appointed administrator of the estate of David O. Tuke, late of the County of Morgan and State of Illinois, hereby gives notice that she will appear before the County Court of Morgan County, at the Court House in Jacksonville, at the April term, on the first Monday in April next, at which time all persons having claims against said estate are notified and requested to attend for the purpose of having the same adjusted.

All persons indebted to said estate are requested to make immediate payment to the undersigned.

Dated this 13th day of February A. D. 1930.

BERTHA G. TUKE, Administrator.

**CIVIL SERVICE EXAMINATION**

Post Office Clerk & Carrier

An examination for post office clerks and carriers will be held at the post office in this city on March 27, 1930.

Age limit, 18 to 45 years on the date of examination.

Married women will not be admitted to the examination.

Applicants must be physically sound and male applicants must be not less than 5 feet 4 inches in height in bare feet, and weigh not less than 125 pounds without overcoat or hat.

For application blanks and for full information, qualifications, duties, salaries, vacations, promotions, etc., address immediately.

John Kearns, Jr., Secretary, Board of Civil Service Examiners, Post Office, Jacksonville, Ill.

**FORMER MORGAN COUNTY RESIDENT IS HERE**

After an absence of five years, F. C. Fitzpatrick of Udall, Kans., is in the city for a brief visit at the home of his uncle, D. T. Litter. He will also visit in the Litterberry neighborhood, where he has many old time friends and schoolmates. Mr. Fitzpatrick is a prosperous young farmer of Udall. He speaks well of the conditions in his western home, and says that farmers were preparing their ground for oat sowing six or eight days ago.

**TYPEWRITERS**

Bargains always in fine rebuilt standard Machines Typewriter Ribbons INSURANCE T. P. LANING 304 Ayers Bank Building

### TRADING ON STOCK EXCHANGE IRREGULAR

(By The Associated Press)

NEW YORK, Feb. 27.—Trading on the stock exchange today was marked by extreme irregularity, strength prevailing at the outset, with pronounced weakness at midday and a vigorous rally in the final dealings. The setback during the intermediate period was traceable to the renewal of bearish or aggressive, which again centered in steel and allied industries where further selling occurred as a result of recent adverse industrial exhibits. Independent steels were under constant pressure, as were also motors, oils and equipments. Typical of the movement was the wide swing of General Motors, which moved from a well-traced early gain of ten points, only to come forward again at the end. Ralls were again the sustaining features of strength on further extensive accumulation of low-price shares. Rock Island led the movement at a gain of nearly five points and issues of other western and southwestern roads gained one to three points.

Representative or dividend paying rails lagged for the most part but gathered strength when Pacific and coals began to rise. Sales amounted to 1,050,000 shares.

Call loans renewed at 10 per cent, advancing to 12 per cent just before the close and active bidding for time funds was without results. Exchange on London was uncertain, most of the time, but improved later.

Further heavy trading in liberty and victory issues at lower prices featured the active bond market, but rails and industrials rallied with the stock market. Sales (par value) aggregated \$18,850,000.

**MATERIAL DECLINES IN CORN MARKET**

(By The Associated Press)



## HOPPER'S

### Advice to Shoe Buyers

Again we call your attention to the importance of anticipating your footwear demands. We have the positive assurance that the condition of the leather market will not be eased up within a year's time and in all probability we will be compelled to pay more than now.

Every pair of shoes or rubbers you invest in now will be money saved. So we say satisfy your present and future footwear wants now. Our stocks are large and complete and are priced to save you money.

### Season-End Specials

Our season end clean-up of footwear affords a great opportunity to invest in good dependable footwear at a very substantial saving.

For women a choice lot of grey shoes, light and dark shades, twelve and fifteen dollar values to clean up at the price of \$8.85. Also some very good styles for men at this special price.

### Women's Small Size Shoes At Special Prices

For women a special lot of colored shoes with cloth tops that we clean up at the price of \$6.85.

A nice lot of black English shape shoes for men that we are closing out at this special price, \$6.85

See Our Bargain Counter	We Repair Shoes	Tweedie
	We Repair Shoes	Boots
		Tops

### GAVE FINE PROGRAM AT SCHOOL FOR DEAF

Physical Training Entertainment Pleased Large Audience

The Physical Training Department at the School for the Deaf gave their Mid-Winter Entertainment last evening under the direction of the teachers, Miss Louise Collins and Miss Emma Tolsonberger.

The exercises were interesting, thorough and brought forth frequent applause. The classes were in good form and showed not only grace of movement, but military precision in the execution of every number.

Piano accompaniment played by Miss Ruby Molohon added greatly to the effect of the program.

This is the second exhibition given by Physical Training department since its inauguration last September and was a credit to all who took part.

The following was the program.  
Program.  
Shoemaker Dance—Kindergarten.  
Tree Exercises—Fifth Grade Boys.  
Dance of Greeting.  
Kickory Dickory Dock—Primary Class.  
Wand Drill—Actives.  
Patriotic March—8 o'clock class.  
Flag Drill—Third Grade boys.  
Rose Fairies.  
Clowns—Primary Class.  
Tactics and Free Exercises—Juniors.  
Sunbeams—8:30 Class.  
Rabbit—Fourth Grade boys.  
Dutch Couples—8 o'clock class.  
Club Swimming—Actives.  
Indian Dance—8:30 o'clock class.  
Sleepy Time Dance—Second Class.

Don't throw your money away buying Hats of inferior qualities, or improper proportions. The best is none too good for you. FRANK BYRNS Hat Store.

C. H. Dayton of Newman was called to the city on business matters yesterday.

### MURRAYVILLE SALE GOES TO HIGH PRICES

Livestock and Grain on Masters Farm Brought Over \$16,000—Demand Excellent For All Offerings

Murrayville, Feb. 27.—One of the largest public sales held this season was on the Masters farm today. A. T. Story, as agent for M. F. Dunlap, sold a large amount of livestock, together with grain. The sale was made necessary on account of the recent death of W. R. T. Masters, from whom the land had been leased by Mr. Dunlap.

The sale totaled \$16,290. C. J. Wright, J. L. Henry and Alva Swenker were the auctioneers, with Thomas Doyle and Ralph Crouse serving as clerks. There was a big crowd with spirited bidding and it was altogether a very satisfactory sale. Lunch was served by the ladies of the Methodist church. Some of the sales are herewith recorded:

Hogs.  
James Meyers, four sows at \$60 each.  
Charles Sullivan, sow, \$68.  
Howard Summers, gilt, \$37.  
L. L. Mansfield, 3 gilts at \$35.50 each.  
Sam Ash, 12 shoats at \$18.25 each.  
William Clayton, 16 shoats at \$13.50 each, and 19 at \$6.75 each.  
Edward Dobson, hog \$55.  
Cows.  
Dean Crouse, cow, \$115.  
Charles Irwin, cow \$95.  
Charles Lovell, cow, \$85.  
Horses.  
J. K. Cunningham, team \$432.50; horse \$90.  
E. W. Edwards, horse, \$185; horse \$167.50; one at \$92.50 and one at \$165 team at \$345; horse \$120; horse \$47.50; horse \$75.  
E. W. Roberts, team \$402.50; horse \$122.50; horse \$65.  
Jose Dean, horse, \$127.50.  
Mike Quinn, team, \$270.  
Vernon Baker, mare \$140.  
Albert Hayes, horse \$117.50.  
Delbert Erickson, horse \$150.  
Joseph Rider, horse at \$140, one at \$90, one at \$52.50, colt at \$22.50; two at \$25 each, horse at \$22.50.  
Edward Longergan, stallion, \$110.  
Snell Cudaby, horse, \$80.

Mules.  
E. W. Edwards, span, \$650; span \$377.50; span \$75.  
A. V. Houten, span, \$490.

A large quantity of corn was sold, the buyers, quantity and price being indicated below: Edward Dobson, 700 bus. at \$1.53 per bu.; James Meyers, 700 bus. at \$1.50 per bu.; Harold Cunningham, 700 bus. at \$1.45 per bu.; T. E. Rhea, 800 bus. at \$1.48 per bu.; M. R. Thompson, 600 bus. at \$1.50 per bushel. Seven hundred bushels of oats were sold at 91c per bushel and 1000 bushels of hay at 90c per bale. A set of harness was sold to Vernon Baker for \$88.50.

Today's Specials  
Chocolate Creams, asst. 40c  
Peanut Cluster 45c  
Black Walnut Loaf 40c  
Black Walnut Brittle 50c  
Pecan Roll 60c  
Assorted Taffy 30c  
Also a fresh assortment of other candies, salted nuts, etc., on hand.  
AMERICAN CANDY SHOP  
208 South Main St.

DR. SMITH TO PREACH AT PISGAH  
Dr. Thomas Smith of East Orange, N. J., will occupy the pulpit of the Pisgah Presbyterian church next Sunday morning. He will preach on "The Christian College in the Crisis of Today." Dr. Smith was graduated from Illinois College with the class of '87. He is an eloquent speaker, and the members of the Pisgah church feel that they are very fortunate in having this opportunity of hearing Dr. Smith.

Harmony Lodge No. 3, A. F. & A. M., will hold a special meeting this evening at 7 o'clock. Work. Visiting brothers welcome.  
A. M. Robinson, W. M.  
John R. Phillips, Secy.

PUBLIC SALE  
10:30 a. m., Thursday, March 4, 5 miles northwest of Jacksonville, 1 mile east of Joy Prairie, good horses, exceptionally good cows, farm machinery and household goods.  
S. N. BRIDGEMAN

EYE INJURED  
F. B. Rees, employed at the Jacksonville Railway and Light Company was laid up for a while yesterday by a piece of rust which lodged in his eye while he was working at laying pipe in a pit. The offending article was removed by Dr. Black.

NOTICE  
Union carpenters of Local 904 are requested to meet at Labor Temple at 2 o'clock Sunday afternoon to attend the funeral of Andrew J. Roberts at his late home, 326 East College avenue.  
J. A. SCOTT, President.

MRS. INGLIS TO VISIT BROTHER  
Mrs. Louise B. Inglis, principal of the School for the Blind, left yesterday for Greenville, where she will meet her brother, R. B. Inglis, who has just returned from overseas after two and one-half years in the service. Mr. Brumberger arrived from Coblenz on the 17 S. Transport Kilmpatrick, which sailed from Antwerp, Jan. 26th and is enroute to his home in California.

### INHERITANCE TAX IN TINDALL ESTATE

Large Amount to Be Paid The State Shown In Report By Miss Haingrove Appraiser

Miss Tillie Haingrove, special appraiser to fix the amount of the inheritance tax due on the estate of the late Isaac Tindall, filed her report Friday in the office of County Clerk George L. Riggs. The amount of tax due is one of the largest ever assessed against an estate in Morgan county, the report showing \$13,500.01, as the amount of the tax. The value given the estate is \$330,310.25.

One half of this amount becomes the property of Edmund Tindall only son of a deceased brother of Isaac Tindall. The other half of the estate will be divided among Gregg Tindall of this county, Harley and Guy Tindall, Mrs. Anna Bangs, Miss Iva Tindall and their sister, all of Cameron, Mo. They are the children of another deceased brother of Isaac Tindall.

The amount of the tax is large because the law now allows nephews and nieces an exemption of only \$500. Another beneficiary from the estate is Mrs. Williams, for a long time Mr. Tindall's housekeeper. She is to receive the interest from \$12,000 during her lifetime and must pay a portion of the tax due as under the law she is allowed but \$100 of exemption.

Faultless Fitting and Fast Colors, two very desirable points to consider in Shirts. These are the kind sold by FRANK BYRNS Hat Store.

### WAVERLY WINS FROM CARLINVILLE

Take Slow Basketball Game by Score of 18 to 17—Waverly did not show Form she has in Past Games

Waverly, Feb. 27.—Carlville High school lost a slow game of basketball to Waverly High school at Waverly tonight. Neither team played up to standard and the game was not lively in any sense of the word.

Both of these teams will be at the tournament in Jacksonville, and Waverly will have to put up more of a fight in her first game, which is with Jerseyville, if she expects to come out near the top.

	F.G.	F.T.	TL
Waverly	2	1	5
Carlville	2	5	9
Gipson	0	0	0
Knight	2	0	4
Jarrett	0	0	0
Detherage	0	0	0
Total	6	6	18

	F.G.	F.T.	TL
Carlville	5	3	13
Ryan	2	0	4
Phillips	0	0	0
Donahue	0	0	0
Robinson	0	0	0
Paul	0	0	0
Total	7	3	17

In the second half Redfern went to center and Detherage went in at guard for Waverly. Wedell of Alton refereed the game.

### FOR SALE CYPRESS INCUBATOR

Nearly New—144 Egg JACKSONVILLE FARM SUPPLY CO.

GOVERNMENT INSURANCE  
Director R. G. Cholmeley Jones of the Bureau of War Risk Insurance announced today that misleading and incorrect statements relative to the permanency of Government Insurance are being circulated by individuals apparently engaged in attempted "twisting" of insurance. A specific and typical report received by the Director was to the effect that some of these individuals had boarded a naval vessel at Philadelphia and had told the sailors that Government Insurance would not be good after five years.

"Government Life Insurance for veterans of the great war is a permanent proposition," said Director Cholmeley-Jones. "Statements to the effect that Government Insurance will cease at the end of five years after the war, or that it will be turned over to private companies, are absolutely false and without foundation. There is, however, a requirement that the temporary term insurance held during the war which increased in cost from year to year, be changed or converted into one of the six permanent forms: life, 20-year endowment, 20-year endowment, or endowment at age of 62, within five years after the formal declaration of peace, by proclamation of the President. If the insured desires to continue to be protected, this agreement insurance does not increase in premium cost as the insured grows older."

"Improper conduct by the individuals I have referred to is in direct opposition to the attitude of the great Life Insurance Companies."

Correct information regarding Government Insurance can be secured from the Home Service Society of the American Red Cross. The local office has just received from National Headquarters a supply of insurance material in which every service man who is not content with his government insurance will be interested. The Home Bill has made Government Insurance more attractive and there is still opportunity for any man in good health to reinstate. The Red Cross Office is in the Public Library.

\$18.00 BUYS  
Garford Phonograph that plays all records.  
RAY MUSIC CO.,  
205 E. Morgan St.

### TRACTOR LICENSE LAW EXPLAINED

Letter from Secretary of State Clears up Several Matters in Question

Farmers will be interested in the letters quoted below, exchanged between A. L. French and Secretary of State Emmerson, relating to farm tractors and licenses.

February 25, 1920.  
Hon. Louis L. Emmerson,  
Secretary of State,  
Springfield, Illinois  
Dear Sir:

Will you kindly inform me of your department's rulings on the following:

First. A farmer owning a tractor has one farm a mile from his home. In order to reach this farm it is necessary for him to use the public highway. Is it necessary for him to have a tractor's license for the purpose of moving feed or material from one farm to the other?

Second. A man operating a dairy farm ships his milk stuff by rail, in order to transport it to his farm it is necessary to use the public highway. Is it necessary that he have a tractor license to move his feed?

Third. A farmer desires to use his tractor for dragging roads. Is it necessary that he have a tractor license?

Fourth. In any of the above cases is it necessary that the operator of the tractor, who is not the owner, should have a chauffeur's license?

Thanking you for any information you may be able to give me, I beg to remain,

Yours very truly,  
A. L. French.

Springfield, Illinois,  
February 26, 1920.  
Mr. A. L. French,  
President  
The Farmers State Bank & Trust Co.  
Jacksonville, Ill.

Dear Sir:

I have yours of the 25th inst., and will advise as follows:

(1) The 1920 law provides that all tractors used for hauling purposes shall have tractor licenses, but the Attorney General holds that tractors used to cultivate the land and using the highways only in passing back and forth between farms are not required to have licenses. Where the tractor is used to haul feed and material from one farm to another, tractor license is required.

(2) A person transporting milk stuff by tractor is, of course, required to have a license.

(3) In my opinion where a tractor is used only to improve the roads in the vicinity of the owner's farm, it is not required to have license.

(4) The 1920 Motor Vehicle Law classes a tractor as a motor vehicle and the law requires that all persons operating motor vehicles as employees, or mechanics, shall have chauffeur licenses; hence the operator of a tractor who is employed is required by law to have chauffeur license.

Yours very truly,  
Louis L. Emmerson,  
Secretary of State.

### NOTICE TO TAXPAYERS

Notice is hereby given that the Sheriff and Ex-Officio Collector of Taxes for Morgan County will visit the following places at the dates specified:

Monday and Tuesday, March 1st and 2nd Waverly, at First National Bank.

Wednesday, March 3rd, at Franklin, Franklin Bank.

Thursday and Friday, March 4th and 5th at Meredosia, at Farmers and Traders Bank.

Monday, March 8th, at Chapin State Bank.

Tuesday morning, March 9th, Murrayville at Murrayville bank.

Tuesday afternoon, March 9th, Woodson, McAllister store.

Wednesday, March 10th, at Prentice, Hubbs' store.

Thursday, March 11th, at Concord, Concord Bank.

It is desired that as many as possible visit the above banks on the said dates, and pay taxes.

W. H. WEATHERFORD,  
Sheriff and Ex-Officio Collector.

### OBITUARY

Miss Margaret Walsh, daughter of John and Bridget Walsh, was born Nov. 24, 1885, eight miles south west of Jacksonville and departed this life Feb. 9th 1920 at her home 657 Michigan ave., Jacksonville, of a short illness of pneumonia. She is survived by the following brothers and sisters: John and Michael Walsh, Jacksonville; Mrs. Katherine McGrath, Murrayville; Sister M. Gildard, St. Louis; Sister M. Bertram, East St. Louis; Mrs. John Devlin, Jacksonville; her taking away is keenly felt in the home of her sister with whom she lived for a number of years. Funeral services were held at 9 o'clock Feb. 10th 1920, at the church of Our Savior in charge of Rev. Father Formax. Burial was in Calvary cemetery, the bearers being: William, Thomas, James, Michael, Francis, Edward McGrath all nephews of the deceased.

BIG SPECIAL TODAY  
Chocolate Nut Nougat 30c the pound at MERRIGAN'S.

WILL SPEAK AT ALBANY  
Rev. S. D. Ward of Decatur, will speak at the Ashbury church Sunday afternoon at 3 o'clock in the interest of the Chaddock Boys school. Everybody is invited to be present.

## Any Overcoat You Buy Now Is a Good Buy

You will realize this all the more when you come here and see how moderately they are priced, much less than we can buy them in the market, and a great deal less than you can buy them next winter. We are taking in now such merchandise as is desirable for next winter and think it is the part of wisdom for you to do the same.



# MYERS BROTHERS

## MEATS

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"The Quality of Our Meats Always SATISFY"

Our PRICE is LOWEST not only part of the time, but the Year Around. It is our every effort to give the public Good Quality. FRESH MEATS at the LOWEST Possible prices

## TRADE HERE CENTRAL MARKET CO.

224 East State

## Saturday Specials

Beef Steak, nice and Tender, only . . . . .	18½c	Old English Corned Beef, only . . . . .	16½c
Beef Pot Roast, Young Tender Beef, only . . .	15½c	Sugar Cured Bacon, side or ½ side, only . . . . .	37½c
Beef Boil, Good Young Beef, only . . . . .	13½c	Dry Salt Pork, Sweet Pickle Cure, only . . .	21½c
Fresh Liver, Sliced Thin, 2 pounds, only . . . . .	9 c	Pickled Tripe, only . . .	9 c

### EXTRA SPECIAL

Boneless Rolled Rib Roast, only, per pound . . . . .	24½c
Lard! Lard, 3 pounds, only . . . . .	75c

## Central Market Company

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## "Shop-Aid" Self-Serve Grocery

Libby Pine Apple heavy syrup, can. . .	35c	Salmon Tall Con; good value .	24c
Bulk Crackers, Loose-Wiles best, pound. . .	16c	Pure Lard 5 lb. package. . .	\$1.30
Sugar cured Bacon, about 2½ pieces, lb. .	33c	Good Luck Butter; 1 lb. . .	42c
Light Syrup, 16 pound cans. . .	90c	Toilet Paper; large rolls, 2 for . . . . .	15c
Dark Syrup, 16 pound cans. . .	85c	Head Lettuce Big Boston, each. .	13c
O. Cedar Mops \$1.00 size, each. .	89c	Navy Beans fine cookers, pound. .	8½c
Canned Milk, Pet and Carnation; large. . .	15c	Oak Grove Batterine, pound. . .	42c
Pan Cake Flour 4 pound sacks. . .	35c	Prunes Large California, lb. .	24c
Price's Baking Powder 12 oz. cans. . . . .	20c	Macaroni Gooch's Best, pkg. . .	8½c
Vick's Vaporub Regular 60c size. .	50c	Spaghetti Gooch's Best, pkg. .	8½c